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OP1742/JS

Application Serial No. 09/656,626

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Clark, Steven A.
Pillai, Balathandan S.

Title: METAL ALLOY
PRODUCT AND
METHOD FOR
PRODUCING SAME

Application No.: 09/656,626

Filing Date: 09/07/2000

Examiner: Combs-Morillo, Janell A.

Art Unit: 1742

Attorney Docket No.: 043420-0118

Box **FEE AMENDMENT**
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING	
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is a Reply and Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ [X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity statement previously submitted.
- ☒ [X] Reply and Amendment (10 pages) with enclosures (28 pages) (38 total pages).
- ☒ [X] Petition for Extension of Time (2 pages).
- ☒ [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	36	35	1	x \$18.00	\$18.00
Independents:	4	4	0	x \$84.00	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:			+	\$280.00	\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:					\$18.00

☒ Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$110.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$400.00	\$0.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$920.00	\$920.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,440.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$1,960.00	\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$920.00
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:			\$938.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):		\$469.00
TOTAL FEE:			\$469.00

☒ Check No. 11015 in the amount of \$469.00 is enclosed.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

Sept. 26, 2002

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